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Especially For Youth participants boost BYU's economy

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# r quality steadily proving

vard trend attributed emissions program

By DALE JAKINS

County residents can now a sigh of relief. Air quality in the has seen steady improvement last 20 years.

ere is no question that in Utah we've seen substantial improveour air quality over the last sevrs," said Arden Pope, a BYU ecoprofessor who has researched air for 14 years. "Along the Wasatch hasn't been quite as dramatic as unty, but we have seen improvea spite of the fact that we have hicles driving more miles."

Utah County Bureau of Air attributes the air improvements le inspections and maintenance hs that control vehicle pollution fact manufacturers have made that produce less pollution.

emissions program in Utah has made vehicle owners more how their vehicles operate and ortance of making sure that they cleanly and efficiently," said der, bureau director of the Utah Division of Air Quality. "The re getting bigger, and they tend to er gas mileage, but they do run eaner than the same type of vehid have run years ago."

Dalley, manager of the Utah of Air Quality, cited federal govregulations that require gasobe less volatile — meaning the evaporates at a slower rate ecline in air pollution.

mber of other factors have helped air pollution in Utah County, g the closure of Geneva Steel. sonally, I would think that closing has made a bit of a differ-

lder said.

Dalley said the improved air night not continue indefinitely. ly on, computer modeling hat the problem may occur early decade," Dalley said. "It may be a few years, but if something besn't happen, there will be a day, of cleaner cars and other efforts, tion will start to get worse."

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ough experts emphasize differons for the clean air, they agree cleaner and will be cleaner this than it was 20 years ago.

tion is worst during the hottest est months of the year. Dalley ne is a problem during the sumnths because of vehicle emisfuring the winter, the cold air iversions, trapping pollutants in



# It's a boy, times four

Spanish Fork couple surprised by quadruplets

By KENDRA SMITH

hen Tom and Melynie Meeks of Spanish Fork found out they were going to have a third child, they didn't want to know what the gender was - they wanted it to be a sur-And they got one. Instead of a little boy to

run around their house and cause havoc. they got four boys on Jan. 15.

Add those four babies to two little girls, MeKinzie and Madyson, ages 5 and 3.

Add 116 volunteers a week and an additional family member to the mix (usually a mother-in-law), and it's a fairly accurate picture of the Meeks' family household - all the time. "We do not have a quiet home, usually," Melynie Meeks

Tom and Melynie Meeks needed a lot of help when they started taking care of quadruplets and two little girls. And it's taken a lot of around-the-clock volunteers.

Melynie Meeks didn't know she was having quads until seven weeks into her pregnancy.

Because she had problems ovulating on her own she took medication. The medication cost so much Melynie Meeks also used artificial insemination.

Previous pregnancies had produced three single births. Another daughter, Morgan, died at full-term. "We knew there was a chance for multiples for all of our

pregnancies ... We were just as surprised as anyone else including my doctors – that there were four babies," Melynie Meeks said.

Melynie Meeks didn't have many problems in her pregnancy. She didn't even start staying home until after

The first week of December, Melynie Meeks went into labor and traveled to Utah Valley Regional Medical Center in Provo to stay until the babies were born. Five weeks later, See BABIES on Page 8

# Support groups advise parents of multiples

By ANNETTE HESS

Madyson

Meeks

proudly

holds one

of her four

younger

brothers.

Photo by

Lisa Young

For the last two decades, the number of multiple pregnancies has been on the rise in both the United Kingdom and United States, and support groups for parents of multiples have become more common.

The Utah Valley Mothers of Multiples is a Provo organization that started approximately 15 years ago. The club seeks to share valuable tips on caring for multiples and becoming involved in parenting organizations. The club has between 20 and 40 mem-

Jennifer McDonald, a BYU graduate, is the president of the Utah Valley Mothers of Multiples. She is the mother of twins who are now 5 years old.

"There are so many things that are different with twins or triplets - like how you feed them and how you get them to sleep," McDonald said. "There are lots of books on how to get one to sleep, but they don't really address. twins."

The group helps answer questions and come up with a solution to problems for expecting mothers.

Utah Valley Mothers of Multiples meets the third Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. at the IHC Northwest Plaza located at 1134 North 500 W. in Room 2. New members are welcome to attend.

"I told my husband if I can just have two nights a month, homemaking and twin club, I could probably keep my sanity," McDonald said.



Tom and Melynie Meeks of Spanish Fork have learned to care for quadruplets.

Photo by Lisa Young



Photos by Heather Headrick

mith and his father, Dennis, set up their Poetic Kinetics exhibit in the MOA.

## Trash is treasure for father and son

By THOMAS GROVER

Dennis and Andrew Smith take pleasure in using other people's junk.

To them, the trash is treasure, a limitless opportunity to create art, using a hodgepodge of discarded typewriters, propellers, tubes, wheels, scrap metal and just about anything else they can get their hands on.

Together, the father and son collaborated to produce the playful exhibit "Poetic Kinetics: Assemblage Art by Dennis and Andrew Smith," opening

today at the BYU Museum of Art. The MOA will host an opening reception tonight from 7 to 9. Mechanical

Symphony will perform live. "The whimsical nature of 'Poetic Kinetics' will give audiences the opportunity to delight in unfamiliar shapes and even to see what they would have



never seen before," said Anastasia Rees, exhibition curator, in a news release.

Anything can be used in constructing assemblage art. The Smith's collect much of their materials from farms and junkyards. Friends and neighbors also

donate material, Andrew Smith said.

"I like to incorporate moving elements into my sculptures, something that will draw people in and make them wonder how it works," Andrew Smith said in a news release.

Andrew Smith's sculptures have multiple motions. Wheels rotate, cranes lift, arms swing and balls roll, spin, jump and loop on tracks.

"It (the work) has a sense of choreography," Dennis Smith said. "There's a real sense of dance and timing."

Dennis Smith's form-conscious work focuses more on the poetry and aesthet-

ics of the art. "Where the parts Andrew has worked on are polished and brushed, mine are rusted and crusted," Dennis Smith said in a news release. "Where Andrew's are kinetic and impulsive, mine are frozen and steeped in philosophic overtones. Where his are whimsical, mine tumble

into wistful reflection and nostalgia."

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Sunny High 80, low 53

YESTERDAY High 81 low 50, as of 5 p.m. **PRECIPITATION** 

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#### Correction

Information in an article printed Friday in The Daily Universe about the Parkway in Orem contained information that was inaccurate. The three-phase apartment complex will feature retail stores, housing units of one-, two- and three-bedroom units. For more information, call Jamie Jacobsen at 764-9000.

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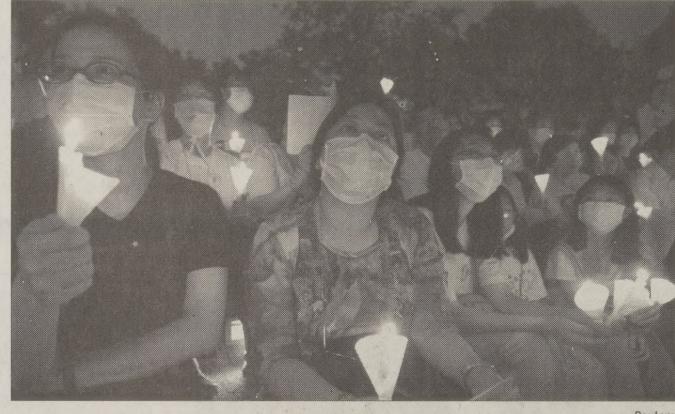
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#### BRIEFING



The world is our campus



Christians wearing masks against SARS attend a candlelight vigil Wednesday in Hong Kong to remember China's Tiananmen massacre that happened 14 years ago.

### Hong Kong residents recall Tiananmen, voice fears

HONG KONG (AP) — Waving candles and singing patriotic Chinese songs, more than 12,000 Hong Kong people on Wednesday demanded an accounting of the crackdown against pro-democracy activists in Tiananmen Square and voiced fears local freedoms are being crushed.

The Hong Kong government is about to win approval of an anti-subversion bill. Critics fear the former British colony could find itself subjected to mainland-style suppression of unpopular views, although Hong Kong insists this is not an issue.

Thousands of people gathered for a candlelight ceremony commemorating Tiananmen

and hoping they can some day heal wounds that still cut deep here — 14 years after China used tanks and troops to stop the student democracy movement in Beijing on June 4,

"A democratic China is something that I've wanted since the massacre," said Pauline Wong, a clerk. "But it's going to be a long road" before it can become a reality."

Her 8-year-old son, Ernest, agreed. "The people who died on June 4 were

heroes," the boy said.

Activists placed flower bouquets around a mock gray monument to honor those who died in the crackdown.

### Stewart indicted on security fraud, pleads innocent

NEW YORK (AP) — Martha Stewart, the exemplar of "good things" who built an empire as an icon of tasteful living, was indicted Wednesday on securities fraud and obstruction of justice charges that could result in a prison term.

The indictment also charged Stewart with conspiracy and making false statements and her stockbroker, Peter Bacanovic, with perjury and obstruction of justice.

Stewart and Bacanovic pleaded innocent before a federal judge to all charges.

"This criminal case is about lying — lying to the FBI, lying to the SEC and investors," U.S. Attorney James Comey said. "That is conduct that will not be tolerated. Martha Stewart is being prosecuted not because of who she is, but what she did."

Stewart, 61, has denied wrongdoing in the ImClone stock sale. She claimed to have had an arrangement with her broker for the automatic sale of the stock when it dropped to a certain price.

Stewart, wearing a pale khaki-colored

Leaders work for peace

AQABA, Jordan (AP) — Israeli Prime

Minister Ariel Sharon and Palestinian leader

Mahmoud Abbas launched a groundbreaking

peace plan Wednesday with President Bush's

In statements choreographed by the Unit-

encouragement, offering once-unthinkable

ed States, Sharon promised to immediately

begin dismantling unauthorized Jewish out-

ing in Arabic — explicitly asserted that the

Palestinians' 32-month uprising against

posts on the West Bank, while Abbas - speak-

"armed intefadeh must end," referring to the

"Our goal is clear and we will implement

it firmly and without compromise: a complete

Sharon and Abbas stood alongside Bush

and Jordan's King Abdullah II at matching

lecterns set up at the monarch's summer

palace on the Gulf of Aqaba.

end to violence and terrorism," Abbas prom-

pledges in hopes of ending decades of

Mideast bloodshed.

Israel.

Martha Stewart leaves federal court Wednesday in New York. Stewart and her former stockbroker both pleaded not quilty to all charges.

trenchcoat and carrying an off-white umbrella, arrived at the federal courthouse in Manhattan just before noon, breezing past a crowd of reporters and camera crews without a word.

## Miss Universe: 18-year-old

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — There were no tears of joy, just the confident smile of a winner when 18-year-old Miss Dominican Republic, Amelia Vega, was crowned Miss

A 6-foot-1 aspiring singer, the niece of merengue musician Juan Luis Guerra, Vega accepted the crown from outgoing titleholder Justine Pasek of Panama on Tuesday night.

"God has been my strength all along," the brunette told a news conference immediately after her triumph at a U.S. military baseturned-convention center.

Tuesday's finals were hosted by television personalities Daisy Fuentes and Billy Bush who is President Bush's cousin.

Asked if she was nervous when she stood alone with co-finalist Mariangel Ruiz of Venezuela after 70 other contestants were eliminated, Vegas said, "No, I just said, 'God, whatever is going to be, let it be." Vega's mother competed for the Miss World title in 1980.

#### Head-on train collision in Spain kills 19, injures 40



Spanish Civil Guard members use a white sheet Wednesday to cover bodies inside the wreckage of a train carriage after a crash between a freight and passenger train near Albacete.

MADRID, Spain (AP) — Rescuers and forensic experts searched through twisted, smoking wreckage Wednesday from a head-on train collision in central Spain that killed at least 19 people.

The state-owned rail company, Renfe, said 40 people were injured but most were treated and released. At least eight required hospital-

The Tuesday evening crash happened when a passenger train with about 90 people on board collided with a freight train near Chinchilla in Albacete province, 155 miles southeast of Madrid.

The cause of the crash may have been a railway worker who gave a wrong signal, Development Minister Francisco Alvarez Cascos said. Normally, one of the trains would have been diverted to a side track while the other continued on the line.

The locomotive and first few cars of the passenger train caught fire after the crash and TV footage showed flaming cars piled on the tracks. The freight train was not carrying

"I saved myself because I was in the toilet at the moment of the collision," passenger Nieves Pinto said on National Radio. "I reeled from sided to side."

## Dow closes above 9,000

NEW YORK (AP) — The Dow Jones industrial average closed above the 9,000-mark Wednesday for the first time in nearly 10 months, soaring more than 100 points following a pair of positive economic reports.

The gains were surprising given some bad news from Daimler-Chrysler, which warned of a big loss in its struggling Chrysler division, and the fact that stocks were primed for a pullback following weeks of heavy buying.

"People are now looking for reasons to buy stocks, not sell them," said Michael Murphy, head trader at Wachovia Securities in Baltimore.

In its fourth straight advance, the Dow closed up 116.03, or 1.3 percent, to 9,038.98. It was the first time the Dow finished above

9,000 since Aug. 22, when it s at 9.053.64.

In the past four sessions Dow has gained nearly 330 pc

The market's broader in tors also climbed. The Na composite index, already tra at levels not seen in more th year, rose 31.09, or 1.9 percen 1,634.65.

The Standard & Dr. P. 500 index advanced 14.68, o percent, to 986.24.

Buyers have dominated market for nearly three mor as companies reported be than-anticipated first-qua earnings, the war with Iraq quick and economic data strengthened.

Since March 11, when the lies began, the Dow has riser

## Troops move into central Ira

Associated Press

HABANIYAH, Iraq — More than 1,500 combat troops from the 3rd Infantry Division moved Wednesday into two central Iraqi cities known for their anti-American sentiment, more than tripling the number of soldiers in the area to quell recent attacks on U.S. forces.

No immediate problems were reported as the troops deployed.

Two battalion-sized task forces took up positions around the city of Fallujah, 40 miles west of Baghdad and another task force took over two military airfields in Habaniyah, five miles farther west. Saddam Hussein's Baath Party still has strong support in Fallujah and Habaniyah, where ultraconservative Sunni attacks on the U.S. troops, Muslims have significant influ-

Two major highways connecting Baghdad to Syria and Jordan



U.S. military experts search rul Wednesday for human remains the site bombed in an April str aimed at killing Saddam Hussel

run through the two to where about 300 soldiers fron 3rd Armored Cavalry Regin have maintained a mostly bolic presence.

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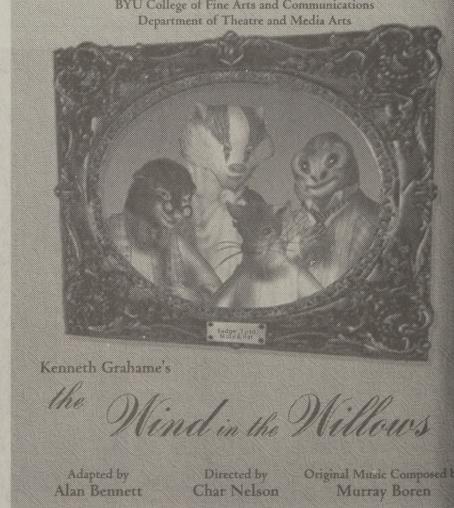
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# FY brings economic earnings to BYU

J. MAC LARSEN

cially For Youth particiake an economic impact ving, learning, spending ing at BYU.

a solid 12-week period, ill be inundated with ds of EFY teens who BYU to supply their eeds: food, shelter and, se, memorabilia.

erally speaking, EFY pants are kept fairly roughout their stay at ill, when they have a few between classes or just der around, the Wilkinnter becomes saturated 'Y teens looking for anyremember their magiments at EFY. From ing pictures to buying The Right" ties, each nd his or her own mem-

he BYU Bookstore. most popular items EFY ants purchase from the re seem to be BYU trinlideroremorabilia, candy and

"cutesy Mormon stuff they can't get anywhere else," said who works in the Bookstore.

With about 11,000 students on campus during spring term, the BYU Bookstore can seem like a lonely and forgotten place compared to the fall and winter semesters. Gatherings like EFY and Women's Conference boost traffic at the Bookstore.

"Usually the summer is pretty dead," Dyal said. "Then, all of a sudden, you get a mad rush of people everywhere, and it's a nice little break in the day to have people actually come in."

Despite the increased traffic with EFY on campus, the Bookstore does not target participants because they generally don't have much spending money, or time to spend the little money they have, said Brent Laker, associate director of the BYU Bookstore.

Still, Laker admits EFY has a slight economic impact on the Bookstore. But it is not enough that the Bookstore plans on allocating advertising dollars just for EFY students.

If EFY teens can't be found Felicia Dyal, a sociology major in the Bookstore or outside cheering, then they are likely filling their bellies with food prepared by BYU Dining Services or by the dozens of employees throughout the Cougareat.

> for BYU Dining Services, said director of BYU Dining Services. EFY programs help some students hang onto their jobs during the spring and summer terms at BYU.

Laura Weixel, from Corona, Calif., works at the Taco Bell in the Cougareat. She said with the EFY participants on campus Taco Bell's business is comparable to when school is in session during the fall and winter semesters.

"Even when they buy things they buy the cheap items, because they have to use real money and not their cards here [Taco Bell]," said Veronica Sundell, from Veracuz, Mexico, and a worker at Taco Bell.

Neither Weixel or Sundell think business is drastically busier than normal, or that they become too busy to handle the rush of people. Instead, they see more teens pass by and not stop to purchase anything.

However, there is still one constant for EFY participants EFY has a positive impact — they want to have a good time, which generally means Stephen Nyman, the associate lots of loud cheering and little sleep. How do the teens compensate? Jamba Juice.

"Well, ever since EFY kids have been here it has just been crowded, and we're overwhelmed," said Danielle Lovelady, from Las Vegas, and a worker at Jamba Juice.

"It [EFY] brings in a lot of business which is nice because springtime is slower, and so with the EFY kids we are pretty much packed like a fall semes-

The number one "boost" that most EFY teens add to their Jamba Juice drinks, is energy, Lovelady said. She attributes it to their long days and short nights.

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#### ARRESTS

Three BYU male students were arrested Tuesday at 1 a.m. on charges of possession of alcohol and a leafy material believed to be marijuana. A campus police officer observed a lone vehicle in the lot next to LaVell Edwards Stadium. Upon approaching the vehicle, its lights came on and three suspects came out from the nearby bushes. The driver was booked into Utah County Jail and the other two were cited for illegal possession. A fourth person involved was of legal age and was neither cited nor arrested.

#### ASSAULT

A college-age man was observed Monday at 8:30 p.m. assaulting a young woman in a car parked on South Campus Drive. The witness reported seeing the man slam the driver side door, walk around to the passenger side, open the side door and begin to slap the 20-year-old woman seated in the passenger side of the car. When campus police arrived, the car was gone. The witness reported the car as a dark gray Toyota with Texas plates - number C50LLC. The suspect is a clean-shaven, white man with blonde hair and glasses. This incident is under investigation. Police request anyone with information on the suspect or the vehicle to contact campus police at 422-2222

#### THEFT

A computer projector was reported stolen from Room 26 of the David O. McKay Building between May 15 and May 30. The projector is an Epson model EMP703U valued at \$2,900.

Another computer projector was reported stolen from Room 2074 of the Wilkinson Student Center between May 12 and May 27. The projector is an Epson model 770 valued at \$4,300. Students are encouraged to contact campus police immediately if anyone is observed removing a projector of any kind from any room.

"We're not the only ones having these projectors stolen," BYU police Lt. Greg Barber said. "There may be a market for these out there. If anyone observes another person attempting to buy or sell a computer projector, please let us know."

#### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

A visiting faculty member was arrested for domestic violence against a woman in an apartment at Wymount Terrace on May 29 at 10 p.m. The victim has been given the opportunity to seek counseling and obtain a no-contact order, if she so desires.

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# Students, faculty debate propriateness in course texts

ZTISHA WHITMILL

ents and faculty memve mixed feelings about Herature, art and media are appropriate for BYU

students come to BYU ne impression they will to worry about being ted with inappropriate sive materials. However, Ludents have been surnat some classes at BYU them to read literature destionable content. Othents think their stanre compromised when watch R-rated movies or vith strong language or ontent in order to comurse assignments.

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Some BYU students say the content of required course texts conflicts with the university's standards.

differently than other universi-

"We don't want to offend the Spirit of the Lord," Dayley said. 'We might not value things that same way as others. We look to Christ and his standards and we feel the educational standards he has set for us are different than the standards for the world."

Dayley said there might be some things faculty think students need to be aware of. However, the faculty will put the material in a context that will allow them to explore it without immersing them in harmful things. He said faculty members often give students other options if the students think a text is offensive.

The educational goals of the university combined with the call to teach with the Spirit often leaves professors in a difficult spot. They must cover the subject they are qualified to teach, but have to make sure all the content is in line with high standards. Students say professors generally strike a good balance and cover course material without using offensive content. However, sometimes literature or media selections that make students uncomfortable find their way into classrooms.

Stephen Thompson, a senior

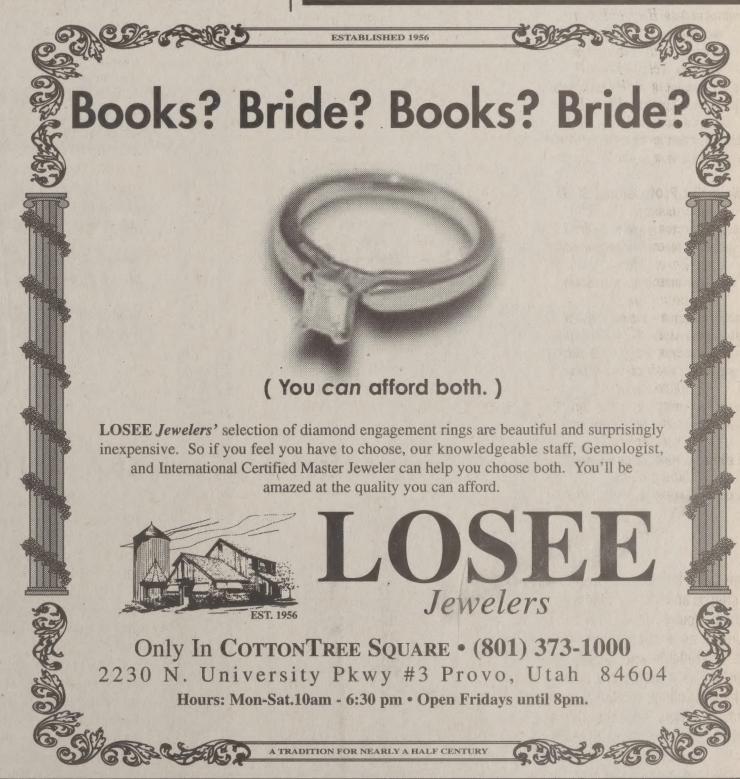
from Alberta, Canada, majoring in Spanish, said he took a Spanish literature class he felt had some inappropriate content. He said the required books he read included blatant sex and incest. He said the content made him uncomfortable.

"I was very bothered by it," Thompson said. "When it came time for the final I had no desire to review. I had no desire to reread the material."

Thompson said the literature he had to read, however, was indicative of the values prevalent in the culture he was study-

"It's a very fine line to try and provide exposure to the material to help students get a full experience without exposing them to things that could be personally damaging," Thompson said.

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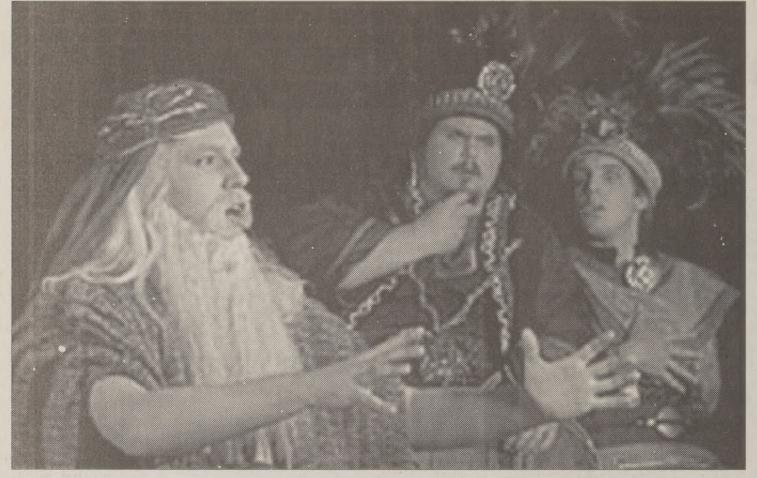


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Eli Weissgarber preaches the word as the prophet Abinidi in the BYU musical production "Abinidi."

# Prophet's life portrayed in musical

By ARI WUTHRICH

A favorite story from the Book of Mormon is set to music in "Abinadi," which takes the stage this week at BYU.

The new musical tells the story of Abinadi, as he stood up for his beliefs and spoke against the wicked reign of King Noah, and paid for it with his life.

"The story of Abinadi is one of inherent drama," said Meredith Ryan Taylor, BYU alumnus and writer of the music for the production. "It focuses on the Savior and the opportunity he affords each of us to change and to be forgiven. The message is timeless and immortal."

Taylor, who also plays King Noah in the musical, said Abinadi teaches people not to judge one another because God looks on people's hearts.

"What may be invisible to all others, God can take and turn into something quite beautiful, if we let him," Taylor said.

Marianne Ohran, 27, a graduate student in lighting design from Idaho Falls, Idaho, did the lighting design for the musical.

"The show is well done and is interesting to see because it is a

story that we all know on paper," Ohran said. "It is something we have learned in church our whole lives and is based on our reli-

Ohran said that while it is a hard to fit the whole story into an hour and a half it, is easy to follow and is something students don't have the opportunity to see everyday, even on campus.

"It brings a story we read on paper to life," Ohran said "Abinadi" shows at 7:30 p.m. through Saturday in the de Jong

Concert Hall. Tickets are available at \$9 or \$3 off with a BYU or student ID.

# FCC approves media acquisiti

Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY - Bonneville International Corp. is set to buy 15 radio stations in Utah and Idaho after a federal agency on Monday relaxed rules on

media ownership. Bonneville, the broadcasting arm of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, has been waiting seven months for Federal Communications Commission approval to buy the stations from Simmons Media Group. Four of the stations are in the Salt Lake valley, the rest in southern Utah and Idaho.

Bonneville already owns top-

rated KSL television and radio. It's owned by a holding company controlled by the Church of Jesus Christ and is part of a group of businesses that includes the Deseret Morning News of Salt Lake City.

Acquiring the Simmons' stations will make Bonneville the state's pre-eminent radio broadcaster. Reese estimated that Bonneville would control about 20 percent of the Wasatch Front radio market. The rest of the market is split between Citadel Communications, Clear Channel Communications and Simmons.

Bill White, a community activist and University of Utah research scientist, warns the changes will lead to less ty in ideas and opinion

"We already have the tration, the effect of wh ing the Iraq war was j reporting that was soli sided," he said. "I can't in further concentration o

is going to help that situ Another rule chang Monday could have an Salt Lake City's med Because the market has evision stations, it no lo face FCC limits on cros ship of newspapers an sion stations.

The Salt Lake Tribu acquire a broadcast par station comes up for sale

## Art students land local commission

By EDMUND SMITH

For the first time in its history, The Canyons Resort Village in Park City commissioned two art students, Chelsy Smith and John Gumaelius, to design and build sculptures that will remain permanently on the resort grounds.

"It has been inspiring to see how much work Chelsy and John have put into their sculptures," said John Young, director of Resort Village Manage-

In December, participants from BYU and the University of Utah were required to meet in front of a panel of judges with their proposed sculptures. The judges selected Smith and pet that stands 10 feet tall.

Gumaelius, both art students from BYU, as the two finalists who would build their sculp-

After being selected to build their proposed sculptures, the Canyons paid for up to \$4,000 in materials and gave each artist the following guidelines. The sculpture had to be consistent with the style of the resort, it had to be at least six feet tall, and it had to match the theme of

the resort. Smith's sculpture, "Elements of Wind" is mounted on an 11,500-pound rock and can be interpreted in many ways. Gumaelius' sculpture, "Gran Guppet" is meant to be an interactive work of art and resembles a giant bird-like-metal-pup-

"The professional: their [Smith and Gurl original proposals has through to the final pr Young said. "I'm sure th will be as moved by thes as we are here at The Ca

Smith and Gumael be honored in a cerem today at 10:30 a.m. Canyons Resort Villag the main stage. Smi Gumaelius will be \$4,000 for their work also be free to answer a tions.

"This is the first have ever commission students to design sci for the resort," said Eldridge, public relation tor for The Canyons. " to keep this tradition up

## Band uses benefit shows to help needy

By DENNY SHEPPARD

A nationally recognized band from Provo gives up its Saturday nights to help hungry families in three Utah counties.

The Brunson Brothers, a jazz band comprised of four brothers and a friend, call Provo home. After coming back to Provo

to polish their live performance, they chose to use their shows to help low-income families, said Gaynor Brunson, a band member.

In connection with Community Action Services, an organization in Provo dedicatlow-income residents, the

Brunson Brothers organized a Center where they play every Saturday night through Aug. 31.

The proceeds from the "Saturday Night Blast" concerts aid families in Utah, Summit and Wasatch counties.

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lies in need, for example, through assistance even for basic needs. the use of our food bank or the homeless program," said LeeAnne Stanley, Community Action Services finance director.

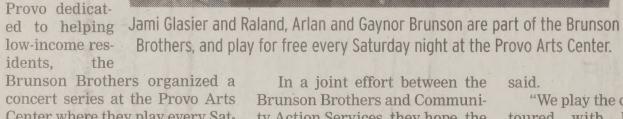
After knowing directors at Community Action Services for a few years, Gaynor said he felt it part of.

Community Action Services is ready to help them, but Community Action Services is dependent on the generosity of the community to provide the wonderful services that they do." While the nonprofit organizawas a worthwhile cause to be a tion's mission for the concert

series pursues an effort to inform the community, the Brunson Brothers want to go a step beyond, Brunson said. They hope to

> raise public awareness of the food bank while working on their show, but they also want to provide the community with an inexpensive . per-

> > formance that they feel to be world-class, he



ty Action Services, they hope the concert series continues to help people and send awareness to the community, Brunson said.

"It's really a two-fold mission," Switzler said. "We hope "Every dollar contributed is people recognize that people in

"We play the old standards, we toured with Liberachi, and appeal to that kind of crowd, elementary kids, and college kids all wrapped into one," Brunson said. "We figure we fit into a great audience."

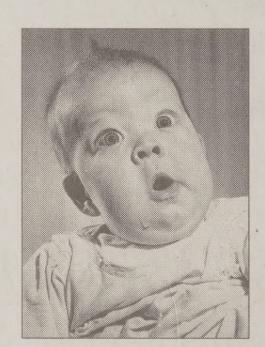




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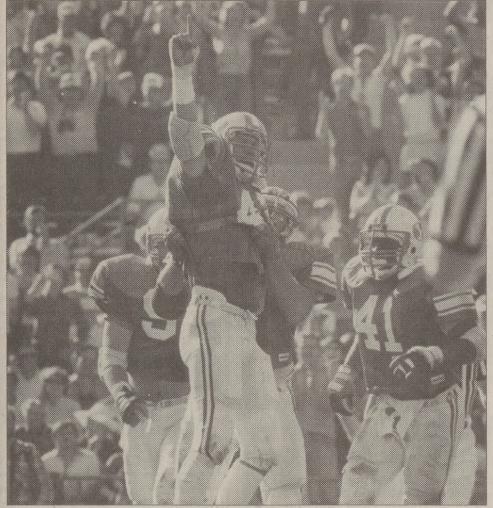


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Former BYU linebacker Todd Shell was named the 2003 Arena Football League Coach of the Year for coaching the New York Dragons.

By BRANDON KOLDITZ

NEW YORK — Former BYU linebacker Todd Shell was named the Arena Football League's 2003 Coach of the Year after leading the New York Dragons to the Eastern Division title.

This is the first time Shell has earned Coach of the Year honors and the first time the Dragons head coach has earned the award in its three-year existence.

Shell, 40, became the head coach of the Dragons prior to Week 5 after the team began the season 0-4 under previous head coach John Gregory.

With Shell at the helm, the Dragons continued to struggle and were 0-6 before winning eight of the team's final ten games, finishing the season 8-8.

The strong finish earned the Dragons a last minute division title over the Detroit Fury.

In the AFL playoffs, the Dragons won their first round wild card match up against the Chicago Rush, 48-45. The Dragons were defeated in the quarterfinal round by the two-time ArenaBowl champion Orlando Preda-

This is the second time Shell has led a team to a division title in his first year as the team's head coach. In 1995, Shell led the first-year San Jose SaberCats to an 8-4 record and a Western Division Championship, making them the first expansion franchise in AFL history to win a division title.

Shell has a career record of 38-30 and is ranked seventh among current AFL coaches and 11th all-time.

After playing for the Cougars from 1980-83, Shell was selected by the San Francisco 49ers in the first-round of the 1984 NFL draft. He played five seasons for the 49ers, helping the team win two Super Bowl titles in 1984 and 1988. After retiring from the NFL, Shell worked as the color commentator for the AFL's Arizona Rattlers.

Detroit's Al Luginbill finished second in the voting.

# **Provo Angels look** for help from draft

By BEN WILKINSON

The Major League Baseball draft ended Wednesday, and the Provo Angels look to benefit from the selections made this year.

As a minor league affiliate of the Anaheim Angels, the Provo Angels will be getting draftees who will be eligible to play for the team this season.

With the 23rd pick overall, the Anaheim Angels selected the Arizona High School Player of the Year, Richard Wood. Provo Angels General Manager John Stein said because of past experience with No. 1 picks, Wood is expected to play in Provo this summer.

"This is Provo's chance to see a future major leaguer," Stein said. "Nine out of 10 first round picks end up being in the major leagues."

In the fourth round, the Angels selected Robert Zimmerman, a right-handed pitcher from Southwest Missouri State University. Stein would love to have Zimmerman on the team's pitching staff for the upcoming season.

"He throws the ball heavy, meaning if you hit the ball, it feels like you hit a shot put," Stein said.

Zimmerman is getting comparisons to New York Yankee pitcher Roger Clemens.

Right fielder Brandon Balkom of Florida State University was selected with the 150th overall pick and will bring experience to the Angels because of the high level of competition he has been play-

As a general manager, Stein looks for draftees to come to Provo who can contribute right away and be professional off the field.

Along with the new additions, the Angels are looking to experienced players from last year's team that had 53 wins and 21 loses.

Returning pitchers Hector Astacio and Justin Fuller will anchor the young pitching staff and former Junior College Player of the Year catcher Robert Wilson will be called upon to manage that pitching staff as the catcher. Outfielders Michael Perdomo and Jason Sugden return to make a solid base for a strong defensive outfield.

Stein said the keys to a successful team are: ample pitching, good base running and defense.

"I feel that we will have all of those this year," Stein said.

Stein said the Angels must be "tough up the middle." This means a good catcher to call a good game and cut off base runners, a good middle infield (second baseman and shortstop) because 70 percent of balls are hit there and a center fielder that's fast and can turn extra base hits into outs.

"With the addition of Wood at shortstop and the players returning, we are going to be tough up the middle," Stein said.

Provo starts the season June 17 with a crucial series against the Ogden Raptors at Larry H. Miller Field.

"We must win the series against Ogden," Stein said. "We are a natural rival and the champion of the south division will be between us or Ogden."

## Cougars look for improvement in 2003 ing healthy.

By AUBRIE LATIMORE

The BYU Women's Volleyball team has high hopes for the 2003 season even though its 2003 schedule reveals tough competi-

Coming off the most injuryplagued season in team history, the team is perched to become the most improved team in the nation in 2003. A healthy squad, pooled with a talented lineup, should revisit the Cougars to the top height of teams in the country.

"Last year will never happen again," said BYU head coach Karen Lamb. "Only one of the injuries happened in practice, and the rest were freak injuries. But last season made us really

tough. The result is we have a lot of tough individuals on our team. We need to be in that mindset to compete at the highest levels."

The spring season revealed a bright outlook for the 2003 team as it prepared for its just released fall schedule.

"During the spring our team has made a lot of good progress," Lamb said. "We have become a more offensive team, while reducing our errors and improving our serving. We also blocked at a very high level."

As the No. 13 blocking team in the nation in 2002, BYU should be one of the top blocking teams in the country with a strong, solid unit. Each position in the Cougar lineup, except for one, is anticipated to have a starter at least 6 feet tall. Led by the 6-foot-4-inch

Lindsy Lewis, the Cougars will choose their starters from a pool of players that range from 6 feet to over 6 feet 2 inches.

"This will be an exciting season for us," Lamb said. "We have a lot of talent coming back, and with three key redshirts returning we expect to be a top-20 team throughout the season."

The talent includes BYU's outside hitting trio of sophomore Kimberly Wilson, junior April Varner and junior Lindsey Metcalf. Each saw broad playing time last season, with Wilson establishing her as a premiere attacker as the season trudged on. Alexis Brown, who began last season as a starting middle blocker before a torn ACL, and Carrie Bowers, who nursed stress fractures to both feet last season, are return-

In her second year, Lamb will return three 2002 red shirts with All-America potential. These include senior outside hitter Sunny Mahe, sophomore setter Lauren Richards and freshman middle blocker Lindsy Lewis. In addition, the Cougars have five incoming freshman that promise to bring dimension to the team.

BYU's schedule includes 30 matches. The Cougars will play 14 matches in the George Albert Smith Fieldhouse and a minimum of 16 matches on the road, including six neutral contests.

# Obrey drafted by Cards

By BRANDON KOLDITZ

In the Major League Baseball draft that ended Wednesday, third baseman Kainoa Obrey was the only Cougar taken.

"I'm really surprised and very disappointed in the draft," said BYU head coach Vance Law. "I really question how they make these selections. Our player's season compares to the ones who were drafted, even in the confer-

After being drafted in the 11th round last year by the Kansas City Royals, Obrey became the St. Louis Cardinals 13th round draft pick this year. He finished the season hitting .362 with 72 hits, 24 doubles and 65 RBIs.

"(His selection is) very well warranted," Law said. "He's been an anchor in our lineup for three years. I'm excited for the opportunity for him to try his hand at professional baseball."

Law said he is surprised that no other Cougar was taken in the draft. Other BYU players such as center fielder Brock Jacobsen and pitcher Paul Jacinto also had great years.

"There is no comparison to the way Paul pitched this year," Law said. "Definitely for our program, it will be good to hopefully have him back next year."

Two other November signed Cougars were drafted this year. Drew Larson, a shortstop-third baseman from Utah Valley State College was taken by the Chicago Cubs in the ninth round, and the Seattle Mariners took Aaron Jensen, a pitcher from Springville High School, in the 19th round.

Larson batted .361 with 52 hits as a first-team all-region player for the Bruins this past season.

Jensen was predicted to be taken in the first three rounds of the draft after helping Springville to the 4-A state baseball title with an 11-1 record, 110 strikeouts in 77 innings and a 1.09 ERA as a senior. He was named the 4A MVP.

Law said his late round selection most likely means he will be playing for the Cougars in 2004.

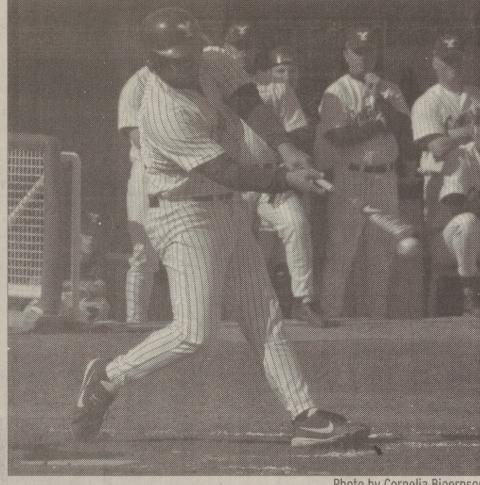
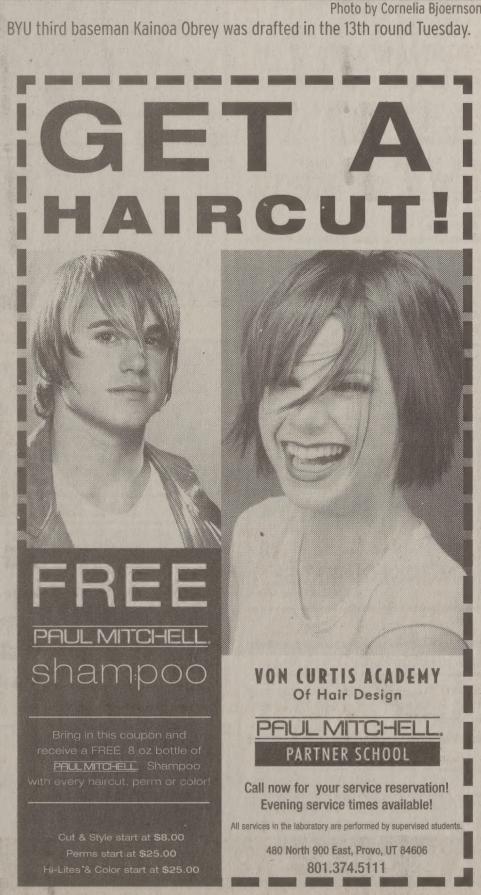
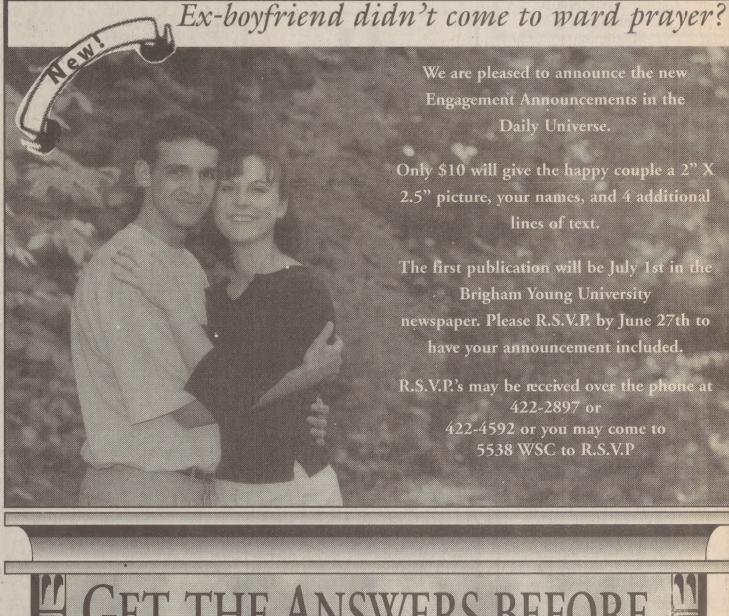
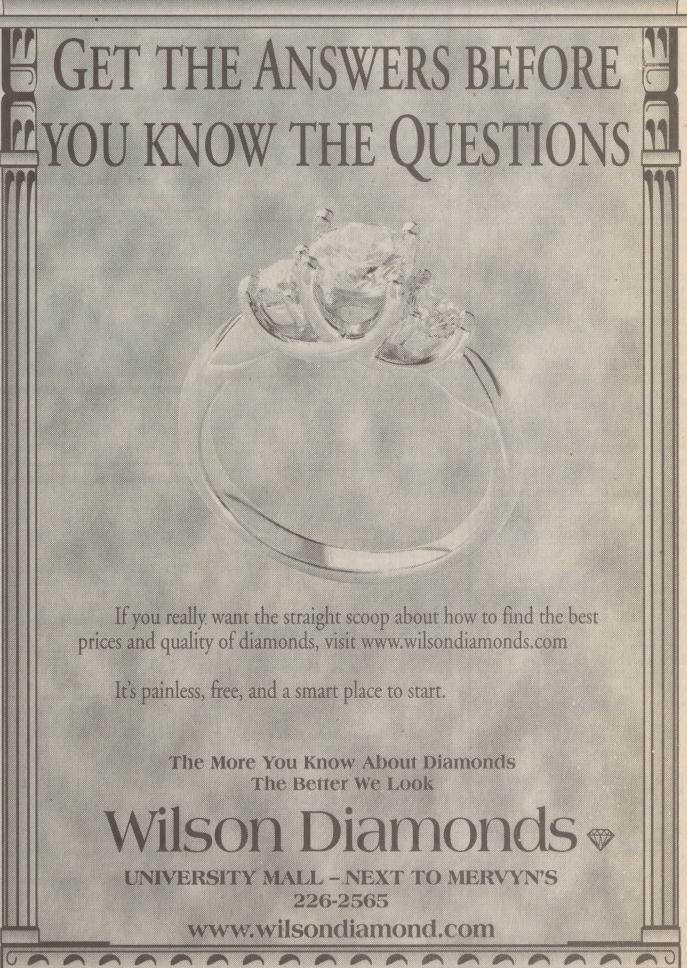


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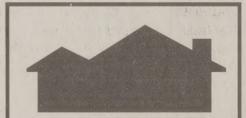
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1 tsp vanilla extract 1/2 cup chopped pecans, toasted 1 package (4 oz.) German sweet chocolate

2 Tibs butter 4 cups strawberries, halved 1 cup whipping cream 2 Tlbs confectioners' sugar

Sprinkle 2 tablespoons of cracker crumbs into a greased 9-in. pie plate. In a mixing bowl, beat egg whites, cream of tartar and salt until soft peaks form. Gradually add sugar; beat until stiff peaks form. Fold in the vanilla, pecans and remaining cracker crumbs. Spread meringue onto the bottom and up the sides of prepared pan. Bake at 300 degrees for 45 minutes. Turn oven off and do not open door; let cool in oven overnight. Melt chocolate and butter; drizzle over shell. Let stand 15 minutes or until set. Top with strawberries. Whip the cream and confectioner's sugar until soft peaks form; spoon over berries.

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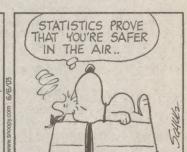
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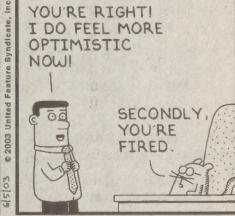


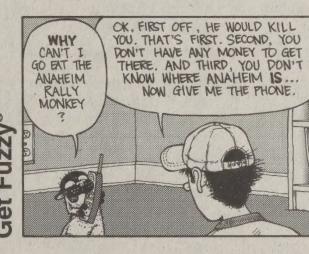
















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The Salt Lake city Council postponed the vote on the latest Main Street Plaza proposal, after hearing hours of opinion from residents of the area.

# Public speaks out about SLC plaza

By NEAL LEGLER

SALT LAKE CITY - At times it sounded almost like a testimony meeting. At other times, Tuesday night's public hearing to discuss the Main Street Plaza issue sounded more like a fierce name-calling ses-

On the table lay Mayor Rocky Anderson's most recent proposal for the plaza: a land exchange in which Salt Lake City would give the controversial plaza easement to The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in exchange for a portion of the church land appraised at \$275,000 in Glendale.

In addition to donating land, the LDS Church would donate \$250,000 as part of the Alliance for Unity's total \$4 million contribution toward the building of a community center on the Glendale land.

The hearing wasn't the last chance for people to voice their opinions about the proposal; the Salt Lake City Council postponed the Thursday vote on the issue and scheduled another public hearing, and perhaps a vote, for June 10.

About 70 people spoke at Tuesday's hearing, with about 75 proposal.

Glen Saxton, a Salt Lake resident, said the Church of Jesus Christ should be able to control activities on its campus.

"The community needs a place where there's peace and tranquility," he said.

Others in attendance, including street preachers often found proselytizing on the easement, accused the council of pandering to the wishes of the Church of Jesus Christ.

Lonnie Pursifull, a street preacher, stood before the council wearing a black "Trust Jesus" T-shirt and read Bible verses condemning sinners. He said he could prove a conspiracy between the city and the Church of Jesus Christ.

"All this is to try to protect the Mormon church from guys like me," he said.

Some in attendance said street preachers and protesters like Pursifull had taken away from the tranquility of the area.

Kevin Jones, a host at the Joseph Smith Memorial Building located next to the plaza, said he often sees protesters standing on the easement harassing people in Temple Square.

"Individuals will actually put their face up against the black

percent supporting the mayor's gate on the east side of the LDS temple," he said, "and as a wedding party emerges from a holy ceremony, they'll be greeted with obscenities, with horrible speech, with shouting and

yelling and screaming." If the mayor's proposal were approved, the Church of Jesus Christ would own the plaza easement and be able to prohibit such conduct.

Those at the meeting who opposed the mayor's plan said giving the easement to the Church of Jesus Christ would infringe on their First Amendment rights of free speech.

"When you start taking away the rights and the things this country was founded on, this society will crumble; it will become lawless," said Chris Donthier.

Many speakers expressed concerns about threats that the ACLU would sue if the proposal were adopted.

Lydia Wright said the council should wait to make a decision until the Supreme Court decides if it will hear the LDS Church's appeal of the plaza case. That way, the city wouldn't have to worry about more lawsuits.

But the recent document from the Alliance for Unity, which outlined the conditions the council must meet for the city to receive the \$4 million donation for the community center, included a provision that the proposal be

approved by Sept. 30. A final ruling from the Supreme Court on the case, if the Court decided to hear it, could take another year, according to the Supreme Court Office

of Information. Alan Sullivan, legal council for the Church of Jesus Christ, expressed support for the mayor's proposal.

"We believe the time for the issue to be resolved is now," he said. "We ask members of the council to vote on the mayor's proposal promptly."

The Church of Jesus Christ has expressed support for the mayor's proposal in several of its statements.

Larry Fidler, a Glendale resident and member of the Church of Jesus Christ, said his chapel used to be located on the Glendale land set to be donated for the building of the community cen-

"I don't think that it's a bad idea to take something that's sacred to us and give it to them to have peace on the plaza," he said, "because that, to me, is the most sacred spot in the entire church."

## Nuclear waste plans denied, not eliminated in southern Utah

By LILIANNE SMITH

Although the federal government denied a second plan that would create a nuclear waste dump in Utah's desert, a new proposal may be resubmitted at a later date.

Private Fuel Storage, a limited liable company formed by eight out-of-state utility nuclear power plants, requested permission to build a smaller nuclear waste site in Utah from the Atomic Safety Licensing Board. According to the NRC Licensing Board, the request was not properly filed, but told PFS to try again at a later date.

However, the decision may allow a license in the future. For the association to receive a license, it must convince the Air Force to alter flight routes or design a facility that could withstand an F-16 crash.

The companies PFS represents want to ship their nuclear waste to Utah and store it above ground on cement pads at the Skill Valley Band of the Goshute Indian Reservation in Tooele 45 miles southwest of Salt Lake City.

Although tribe members are proper procedure. divided over the waste issue, they have sought PFS's proposal due to their impoverished state.

For quite some time, the tribal government has looked to nuclear storage for economic survival, which they said the state has ignored for years. Tribal chairman Leon Bear was unavailable for comment.

The smaller proposed site calls for 336 casks with 2 1/2-foot thick concrete and steel walls, which scales smaller than the original proposal of the storage of 4,000 casks containing 40,000 metric tons of radioactive waste. PFS intends to ultimately

prove its facility will be safe at its 4,000-cask size, but it wants to board to grant a temporary license based on a small-sized, lower-risk facility.

However, Utah attorneys argue the new plan would allow PFS to get their foot in the door which would eventually result in the completion of the original plan for the site.

"This is outrageous; 336 casks is a ruse," Jim Soper, an assistant state attorney general told the Associated Press. "The number means nothing."

He argued the PFS request for a scaled-down waste site wasn't

Gov. Michael Leavitt is adamant about keeping nuclear waste out of Utah and said he will deploy every tool available to fight the storage of high-level nuclear waste in Utah.

According to his Web site, he said, "We don't produce waste; we shouldn't store it. We are pursuing every possible strategy to keep this lethally hot waste out of Utah."

Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, said he questioned whether they would ever be able to ensure that the proposed site would be safe to store nuclear waste, considering the location.

"I just don't think PFS has adequately addressed safety and security concerns involving this facility," Hatch said in a news release. "The NRC's announcement is a tremendous victory for safety and sensibility over recklessness and short-term profits. I have never thought that this proposal was in the best interests of the citizens of Utah, and I think this decision bears that

Utahns are split on the issue some say the government should let the Goshute Indians do what they want, others saying it is not their choice at all.

# UVSC welcomes new president

By EMILY KUNKEL

A sense of relief invaded the Utah Valley State College campus this week as students and faculty welcomed a new president, William Sederburg.

"This school is becoming something," Sederburg said. "It's exciting to be a part of it."

Sederburg said he and his wife, Joyce, are at a good time in their lives when a new adventure feels like the right thing to do.

Although Sederburg has a Square.

strong Lutheran background, Sederburg said he feels comfortable being here.

"I think it bothers me a whole lot less than it bothers anybody else," Sederburg said.

Sederburg said he is trying to find out all he can about the church's history, value's and beliefs.

On June 10, Sederburg is meeting with the First Presidency of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and is going to tour church headquarters and Temple

Sederburg said he looks forward to strengthening ties with and being collaborative with BYU.

"I feel the two institutions working together will be a great asset to the community," Seder-

Derek Hall, director of college relations, said Sederburg is a down-to-earth person, and thoughtful about how he's coming in as the new man in charge.

Sederburg's values and excitement for change attracted him to the growing atmosphere of UVSC, Hall said.

# LDS Church opts out of federal funding on national historic sites

By STACY HINOJOSA

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will not receive funding from the federal government to preserve its historical landmarks, although last week administration Bush announced new federal grants to restore religious sites that are recognized as historic landmarks.

Approval for the grants marks the continued efforts of the government to break down walls, separating religious endeavors and government finances.

Despite eligibility for federal grants, the church does not plan on using government funding to carry out its restorations.

"We have never accepted grant money for historic renovations, not a dollar," said Steven Olsen, associate managing director for Church History.

Olsen said the church does

not seek federal funds for preservation projects.

"We have sufficient for our own needs," Olsen said.

If there is a necessary project, the church employs its own resources to fund the restoration.

Olsen said dozens of churchowned landmark sites have received this designation from the U.S. Department of the Inte-

The government does not take initiative to locate historical sites. Individual landowners must apply to have property recognized as a national historic landmark.

"The government recognizes that they are of historical value to the country," Olsen said.

Once the property is designated as a historical site, the owner retains all rights to the property and is eligible to receive federal and state dona-

The church recently completed restoration work in historic

Kirtland, Ohio, and the area was dedicated last month.

The project repaired properties dating back to the early 1800s, including the John Johnson Inn, an old sawmill, a schoolhouse and the Newel K. Whitney Home.

The Newel K. Whitney Store was renovated in 1884 and received government honors for historical accuracy.

Olsen said President Ronald Reagan's Council of Historic Preservation, recognized the Newell K. Whitney renovation as one of the finest restorations done in the 1980s with private money.

Among other federal recognized historical sites are Historic Temple Square, Eagle Gate and the Beehive and Lion House complex.

Olsen said Nauvoo is a designated national historic district and the Joseph Smith farm and Sacred Grove in New York are also recognized as historical

landmark sites.

# BABIES

Ward and stake help with quadruplets

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Melynie Meeks' water broke and shortly after she had four baby boys — one right after another and each a minute apart.

Spencer, Hunter, McKay and Tanner, named after presidents of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, spent seven weeks in intensive care before being allowed to go home with their parents. While Melynie Meeks was

pregnant, members of the Meeks' ward of the Church of Jesus Christ promised to help with the quadruplets when they were born. But leaders in the Meeks' ward must not have thought that was enough help. The ward created a new calling to help the Meeks family.

Keri Packard of Spanish Fork received the calling as assistant compassionate service leader in charge of the Meeks family.

The Meeks need 16 volunteers a day — two at a time — seven days a week. That's 112 people every week.

After thinking about how much help that was, Packard petitioned her entire stake's help. Most people come once a week, Packard said, but others come every other week or once a month. And there's also a list of substitutes when regular volunteers don't show up.

"Most of the time, it goes like a well-oiled machine," Packard said. "It doesn't even need me."

When they arrive, volunteers

receive an entire list of instructions for caring for the babies.

A mother-in-law — usually Tom Meeks' mother or stepmother - is also almost always around to help.

Other families come to take care of the quadruplets at all times of the day and night.

"That just floored me that they wanted to come at night," Melynie Meeks said.

But they do. Whenever the babies are awake, two volunteers are there to assist the Meeks. That included late nights until the babies started to sleep consistently between the hours of 11 p.m. and 2 a.m.

A member of the Meeks family is always on hand because the volunteers need help. They're never certain who will be there to volunteer - and sometimes they don't know the volunteers. "First, it was really kind of

weird, kind of awkward, especially those ones who I had no idea who they were," Melynie Meeks said. "Most knocked, a few just walked in, and if I didn't know who they were that was kind of strange for awhile. The first three months they've been almost the same people every week, so now it's nice to expect who's coming."

When she got to know the volunteers, it wasn't quite as awk-

"She is extremely patient," said Tessa Hauglid, the Meeks' neighbor, about how Melynie Meeks manages it.

While the quadruplets sleep, volunteers stay and help. They do housework, play with the girls or do anything else to assist the Meeks.

Packard said the volunteers should be coming every day until October. By then, the babies should be old enough to eat from a spoon until Melynie Meeks can help them, Packard said.

The Meeks family appreciates the volunteers and the advantages that come from having them. Tom Meeks said he's happy he can spend time with his girls, something he would struggle with if they had to take care of the quads by themselves.

"It's been fun because I can go to church in any of the buildings in our stake, and I can almost guarantee you that I know somebody by name in any ward in the stake," Melynie Meeks said.

